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lone that loss of life in the Island of Sakura, devasted by the eruption of he volcano Sakura-Jima, may be much larger than had been supposed was recrived here to-day from an official who was sent to Kagoshima to investigate. He reports that 2,000, out of Sakura's estimated population of 19,000, had been accounted for up to the evening

been accounted for up to the evening of January 16.

Other refugees, it is expected, will be found in other directions, but the loss of life was extremely heavy.

Measures for the relief of the famine sufferers in the north and volcano yietims in the south are rapidly assuming shape, now that the extent of the disaster is more definitely known.

A relief association, national in scope, has been organized here and has issued an appeal for help.

Eighep Walter Andrews, of the English Church in Hok-Kaido, the famine stricken district, writes that suffering everywhere is intense. The farmers,

everywhere is intense. The farmers, he says, are hit hardest. Their families are eating soups made of chopped straw, leaves and rotten potatoes and meat taken from cats, dogs and fish. The more fortunate have a thin gruel reads of vice or wheat.

made of rice or wheat.

The net results, he writes, are many deaths from cold and starvation and an increase of crime. Many girls, he declares, have been sold into slavery. He tells of many children fainting in schools, sick from lack of food. The investigator of the Department

The investigator of the Department of the interior who wired the government this morning regarding the number of survivors from the Island of Sakura, reports that he saw pumice tones three and five feet in diameter that had been hurled from the bowels of the earth. Lava mounds are forty feet high.

Members of a party rescued from a mittee.

The charter members are Mrs. Letcher, Mrs. Wise, Miss Bruce, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Addison Hogue, Mrs. Coscar de Wolf Randolph, Mrs. Charles Moore, Mrs. Elizabeth Burcelay and Miss Ida Steger.

The meetings are held Friday afternoons at the home of Mrs. Withers, and the remaining meetings in January will be devoted to educational themes.

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LEXINGTON NOW BOASTS EQUAL SUFFRAGE LEAGUE

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

ton has an equal suffrage league, or-

ganized a few days ago, and new offi-

Bill Asking for \$600,000 to Purchase Additional Site for Post-Office Is Introduced.

WOULD COVER ENTIRE BLOCK

Federal Building Has Become Crowded, and Business Demands More Space.

Representative Andrew Jackson Montague introduced a bill in Congress yesterday asking for an appropriation of \$600,000 to acquire an additional site for the Federal building in this city. The money, if secured, will be used for the purchase of the remainder of the post-office block, between Tenth and Eleventh on Main Street, upon which it is proposed to erect an annex to the present government building. to the present government building. Although completed less than two years ago, the post-office is already too small, and since the inauguration of small, and since the inauguration of the parcel post system, the postal ser-vice has been handicapped by lack of space. The building occupies three-quarters of the block, and a movement was started several months ago to have the rest acquired in order to forestall the erection of a twenty-two stery office building on the site. Business Men Behind Movement.

Lexington, Va., January 17 .- Lexing-Business Men Behind Movement. The movement is backed by the Chamber of Commerce, the Richmond organization meeting was held at the home of Mrs. Robert W. Withers on Lee Avenue, and the following officers were elected: Mrs. Greenlee D. Letcher, president; Mrs. Robert W. Withers, vice-president; Mrs. Barbour Bruce, chalrman of educational committee.

The chaster was testing was held at the home of Mrs. Robert W. Withers, the property has a frontage of skxty feet on Main Street, and extends back to Bank Street. The Main Street frontage last summer sold for \$360,000, while the Bank Street section was valued at that time at \$150,000. was valued at that time at \$150,000. The property is considered to be the logical place upon which to build the annex to the post-office, although it has been suggested that a special building

be erected near the railway stations for the parcel post department. When the Richmond post-office was first contemplated it was thought that the present building would be ample to meet the requirements of many years to come, but within a few months afto come, but within a few months after occupying it, the postal authorities found that it was already too small for the purposes. In addition to the post-office itself, the United States Circuit Court of Appeals, the United States States District Court, the Internal Revenue Department the custombers and first other governmental designs and first other governmental designs. Out of the city, has been moved to Elon, and work will be started at once blow macadam road between Elon and Forks of Otter, a distance of about twenty miles. This is a portion of the improved road system provided for in Amherst County several years and first other governmental designs. house and five other governmental departments are housed in the building.
It is necessary that these offices should be in close proximity to each other, and it would be impracticable to find other quarters for them.

Add One-Third to Building.

The property, which it is proposed to purchase, would be sufficiently large to have an annex one-third the size of the main building erected upon it. This building could be constructed without interference with the work in the main structure. The ground could be purchased, it is supposed, for less than the initial appropriation, and an additional appropriation of prob-ably \$400,000 would be required to construct the annex.

The property can now be secured at dower figure than at any time hereafter, as it is generally reported that the antiquated buildings on it will be razed soon to make way for a big of-fice structure. When the post-office is enlarged, the growth can only be in this one direction, and for that reason the business organizations are anxious

to see the purchase made at once. Not only has the government suf-fered by the erection of a building that immediately proved too small, but the State and city have both found themselves in the same quandary. The State has been required to build a large annex to the State Library Bullding, and still finds itself cramped for space. The city now owns a centrally located site where an additional building must be erected to relieve the congestion in

Resolutions have been passed by so eral organizations calling upon Virginia congressional Representatives to aid in securing the appropriation. Congressman Montague has taken the initial step in presenting the bill, but he will need the concerted efforts of his colleagues to secure its passage.

Get Good View of City From Company's New Building. Return to New York.

Mr. and Mrs. Finley J. Shepard left Richmond last night for New York, after spending a day inspecting the lines of the Virginia Railway and Power Company, in which Mrs. Shepard, formerly Miss Helen Gould, is financially interested. The Shepards arrived in Richmond on Friday night, coming up from Old Point Comfort. They were accompanied by Mrs. B. H. Wright, of Tarrytown, N. Y., a sister of Mr. Shepard.

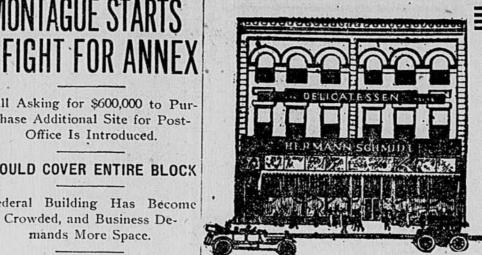
While in the city the party was en While in the city the party was entertained by officers of the street railway company. Thomas S. Wheelwright, president of the Virginia Railway and Power Company; Fritz Sitterding, vice-president, and Henry W. Anderson, general counsel, took Mr. and Mrs. Shepard over the lines. They were first taken to the new Virginia Railway and Power Company Building and shown the magnificent view of the city from the roof.

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Mrs. Shepard and her brother. Frank Jay Gould, are the principal owners of the Virginia Railway and Power Company's lines in Richmond and Norfolk. Before coming here Mr. and Mrs. Shepard inspected the company's holdings in Norfolk. On Friday afternoon a special full dress parade and reception was given in honor of Mrs. Shepard at special full dress parade and reception was given in honor of Mrs. Shepard at Fortress Monroe, where she donated \$60,000 for the erection of a handsome Young Men's Christian Association for the enlisted men.

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# convict camp, which has been repairing the Amherst Turnpike a short distance out of the city, has been moved to Elon, and work will be started at once

#### Oak Ridge Institute Prey to Fire, and Loss Will Reach

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
Greensboro, N. C., January 17.—Fire early this morning destroyed the two principal buildings of Oak Ridge Institute, at Oak Ridge, this county, and the Methodist Protestant Church, entailing a loss of \$35,000. Class rooms will be fitted up in the dornitories and the work of the school continued uninterrupted. All the library, society halls, class rooms, chapel and offices were contained in the burned buildings. The fire originated in a society hall used last night. It was discovered at 4 o'clock this morning, after it had made great headway. Other property was threatened for a time by the fames. The institute is owned by Professor J. A. and M. H. Holt, both of whom are prominent in educational and political circles in the State. "TIZ" for puffed-up, burning,

PRINCE WILLIAM FARMERS
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Manassas, January II.—The January session of the Prince William County Farmers' Institute was held at the courthouse here yesterday. This being the first meeting after the holidays, a splendid program was prepared by the executive committee, and its proved to be one of the most interesting and instructive meetings of the winter. Two speakers from the Department of Agriculture were present, and their addresses deait with dairying, which is fast becoming the chief agricultural pursuit in this section. The address was "Th Feeding of Stock"

An exhibit of wool and mohair, woolen and plush goods, blankets, clothing, etc., which is taken from and made of the wool grown on sheep and goats in the neighborhood of Manassas and this section of Nerth and plush goods, blankets, clothing, etc., which is taken from and made of the wool grown on sheep and goats in the neighborhood of Manassas and this section of Nerth and plush goods, blankets, clothing, etc., which is taken from and made of the wool grown on sheep and goats in the neighborhood of Manassas and thusere.

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Besides cleansing and lustre, the hair, one application of banderine to the back the scalp to invigorate the hair and prevent dryness. Better still, use soap as sparingly as possible, and instead the carefully through your hair.

Men! Ladies! You can surely have lost of charming hair. Get a 25-cent bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or tollet counter grown on sheep and goats in the neighbor-hood of Manassas and this section of North-ern Virginia, attracted ...uch attention. The young women of the domestic science cos of Manassas High School served a spiendid dinner for the occasion.

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Lower Branch to Act on Charter Change Report at Meeting on Tuesday Night.

President Peters yesterday issued a call for a special meeting of the Com-mon Council on Tuesday night to act on the report of the Committee on Charter Changes, which last week returned to the Board of Aldermen a report almost identical with that which before been refused by both branches of the Council.

In its report the committee advo-cated that authority be given to the Council to place the Police, Health and Fire Departments under the Adminis-trative Board at any time in the future that such action might be deemed expedient. Led by Alderman Powers,

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Whenever her hair fell out or took on that dull, faded or streaked appearance, this simple mixture was appplied with wonderful effect.

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the opponents of this measure struck year after his membership expires. The it out of the report by a substitute Aldermen likewise refused to eliminate amendment which leaves the three the words, "as far as practicable," in departments as they are. The Coun-cil advocated this proposed change,

cil advocated this proposed change, and upheld that part of the report when it was originally returned by the committee. It is thought probable that the Council will adhere to its former position and reinstate the measure, giving it the authority to place the three departments under the Administrative Board when it is thought nectors and the two branches may be hopelessly divided and fall to pieces on this figurative rock.

The Board of Aldermen also added a on this figurative rock.

The Board of Aldermen also added a resolution to prohibit any member of the Administrative Board from accepting a remunerative office within one before the present Legislature.

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[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]

Freeling, Va., January 17.—The dwelling house of Henry Short, near Osborn's Gap, was burned on Thursday, with all his household effects. The family was away at the time of the die, which, it is supposed, originated from the chimney. There was no insurance.

Begin Work on New Roads. [Special to The Tin s-Dispatch.] Lynchburg, Va., January 17.—Tho